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CARBONIZATION APPARATUS FOR  
PRODUCING ACTIVATED CARBON  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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